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REDS ADVANCE INTO GERMANY

SIX ALLIED ARMIES POUNDED AT GERMAN WEST WALL MONDAY

HEAVY PRESSURE ALL ALONG FRONT SEEKS TO OPEN NEW CRACKS

LONDON, Oct. 23.—(P)—Six allied armies pounded the light-drawn Nazi defense band from Holland to Switzerland's border today with an unceasing pressure aimed at opening the eventual cracks that will permit a smash to Berlin.

The rain of blows was not yet a grand coordinated offensive, but it was intended to hammer the enemy line ever thinner and to mask the timing and place of the main attack.

The assault was on against the shrinking south Schelde pocket west of Antwerp, the Breda box north of Antwerp, the hard-held doorway from Aachen, the upper entrance to the Saar valley, and the sharp-cloven Vosges passes.

The British Second army, striking in three columns on a 12-mile front from the western side of its Holland salient, drove to within three to five miles of the prize communications hub of "S-Hertofenbosch."

The Canadian army swept on from Eschen on the Dutch Belgian border, 16 miles north of Antwerp, left an 11-mile advance in two days, and hammered methodically toward Roersendaal, four miles ahead.

Seek to Free Antwerp.

The strikes here, which were assuming the proportions of a general offensive to clear the sea lanes to allied-held Antwerp as a supply port, had pressed the Germans from two sides into the Breda Box—a 40x20-mile rectangle below the Maas (Meuse) river.

The Canadians were about to outflank the German coastal anchor of Bergen Op Zoom, four miles ahead.

West of Antwerp the Canadian capture of Breda and Fort Frederik-Hendrik, a mile farther west, an old fortress modernized by the Germans was announced. On the south side of the pocket, the Canadians took Schoondijke, pinching the Germans into a canal-enclosed area of only five by eight miles.

The German hold on the Schelde fast was slipping with the capture of the controlling enemy guns at Breskens and Fort Frederik-Hendrik. Only one battery—there were three two days ago—remained in action in the Vlissingen (Flushing) area on the north side of the estuary after allied heavy-bomber attacks.

Push Toward Ruren.

Lt. Courtney H. Hodges' First army pushed a mile east toward Ruren after its capture of its first major German city, Aachen, and was clearing the enemy from the area around the village of Wurseren, three miles northeast of Aachen.

It was here—other Americans were reported six miles southeast of Duren which is 20 miles from Cologne on the Rhine—that the Germans apparently found the main blow was coming up.

A Berlin broadcast said the First army seemed to have completed

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France Sets Out To Clean House Of Her Quislings

PARIS, Oct. 23.—(P)—George Suarez, veteran Paris journalist, was sentenced to death at Paris' first purge trial on this conviction today of infidelity with the enemy during the German occupation.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—(P)—With wealth and gaiety on one hand and denouncing poverty and grief on the other, a France jumbled by war into a crazy quilt of contrasts set out today to sweep out the rats as the first step in putting her house in order.

The gloomy halls of the ancient Palais de Justice opened for the first of a series of trials which the government hopes will deal out justice within six months to more than 100,000 persons accused of collaborating with the Germans or giving them aid and comfort during their occupation.

The first defendant is George Suarez, veteran Paris journalist, who served as director of the German sponsored daily newspaper "Aujourd'hui" and who is alleged to have been paid \$15,000 monthly for his services.

His fate—which may be the firing squad—if he is convicted—will furnish some precedent for the trials of hundreds of other prominent war-time writers accused of working for Nazi dominated periodicals now suppressed.

Vast special judicial machinery has been set up on a nationwide basis to handle the purge. Altogether some 24 courts with one or more judges presiding over each are being established by the Ministry of Justice and they are expected to begin operation all over France within two weeks.

Navarro County War Chest (AN EDITORIAL)

Corsicana and Navarro county citizens are once more called upon to meet another war responsibility. Past records are positive proof that the people of this community have never failed to meet the requirements of this global conflict in either men or money.

The Navarro County War Chest Campaign with a quota of \$56,502.00 is now under way. An early and successful conclusion of this most important and worthy campaign is indicated.

Invasion is under way on every battle front—the Axis regime is crumbling. But American soldiers continue to give their lives that their loved ones at home may be safe.

Much hard fighting is yet to be encountered before we accomplish the inevitable victory over the beasts of Berlin and the little yellow sons of Nippon.

Our soldiers are making every sacrifice—undergoing every known physical discomfort—giving their lives—surely, we on the home front will not begrudge a few measly dollars that conditions may be made easier for our men and women on the fighting fronts and that the more unfortunate and needy at home may secure the necessities to live.

This is your opportunity to contribute to a worthy and much needed war fund—our soldiers are paying with their lives—we at home are only paying with our dollars.

Let your home front dollars be bullets to blast the enemy.

ADVANCED GIFTS WORKERS FOR NAVARRO COUNTY WAR CHEST TO INAUGURATE CAMPAIGN TUESDAY

A Navarro County War Chest "kick-off" breakfast Tuesday, Oct. 24, in the Navarro hotel banquet room will initiate the advanced gifts drive headed by Festus A. Pierce for the week of Oct. 24 to Oct. 28.

Pierce has announced that the following men will participate in the advanced gifts drive and will be present at the breakfast:

John Corley, Truman Bragg, Clark Butler, T. C. Orr, C. K. Cate, Will Thompson, F. C. Paul, Tom Eady, W. P. McCammon, W. H. Norwood, Joe K. Garner, Ralph R. Brown, R. S. Reading, Boyce Martin, C. A. Middleton, W. M. Forester.

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Advanced gift workers will form

RECOGNITION GIVEN ADMINISTRATION OF GENERAL DEGAULLE

UNITED STATES ACTS TO GIVE FRANCE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—(P)—The United States and Great Britain today recognized the De Gaulle administration as the "provisional government of the French republic."

Moscow radio reported that Soviet Russia had taken the same step, and similar announcements came from Ottawa and Canberra.

The American action was announced by Acting Secretary of State Stettinius who also disclosed that most of France, including Paris, had been designated by allied military authorities as an interior zone in which the French authorities have complete responsibility.

"The interior zone covers everything except the combat areas and points essential to combat supply," Stettinius' statement recalled that the French leaders, including General Charles De Gaulle, have declared on several occasions their intentions to hold elections as soon as possible.

"Pending the expression of the will of the French people through the action of their duly elected representatives," Stettinius said, "the provisional government of the French republic in its efforts to prosecute the war until final victory and to lay the foundations for the rehabilitation of France, can count on the continued, full, and friendly cooperation of the government of the United States."

The Road To Berlin

By The Associated Press

—Western front, 301 miles (from west of Duren).

—Russian front: 310 miles (from Warsaw).

—Italian front: 658 miles (from south of Bologna).

TANK-LED AMERICAN INFANTRY DRIVING INLAND ON LEYTE

DETERMINED EFFORT BEING MADE TO TRAP RETREATING ENEMY FORCES

By LEONARD MILLMAN Associated Press War Editor.

Tank-led American infantry today surged over strong Japanese positions on the southern front on Leyte Island in the Central Philippines in a determined bid to trap enemy forces retreating up the wide Leyte valley.

This advance, reported by A. P. Correspondent Al Dopkins, stemmed westward from the Dulag beachhead established last week. It was spearheaded by Yanks of the Seventh Infantry Division who were commanded by Lt. Col. Herbert Edmundson of Georgia.

Ahead of them was flat terrain, ideal for tank warfare.

This action appeared to center on a highway running west from the coast toward the town of San Pablo, seven miles inland.

Tanks rolled into the Leyte valley also from the small town of Palo, on the northern sector of the front, where outnumbered Nipponese retreated westward.

Provisional Capital.

Tacloban, above Palo, meanwhile became the site of a general constitutional government in the archipelago since it was overrun by the Japanese more than two and a half years ago.

Philippines capital of Tacloban, engineers were converting two captured airfields into advanced bases for U. S. land-based bombers and fighters.

Carrier planes and aircraft based outside the Philippines were steadily hammering enemy air bases and transport centers throughout the islands. In an action on the northern sector of the front, where outnumbered supporting blows they have destroyed more than 1,500 enemy planes—equivalent to a month's production for Nipponese factories.

Government Re-established.

President Sergio Osmena and his Philippine cabinet re-established the Free Philippines government at Tacloban where Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced he was bringing back to the islands the "sacred right of self-rule."

It was, he said, "a prelude to

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Constitutional Government Under U.S. Flag Restored

TACLOBAN, Leyte, Philippines, Oct. 23.—(P)—Constitutional government under the American flag formally was restored to the Philippines today by Gen. Douglas MacArthur while warfare still surged near Tacloban, the temporary capital.

Chaired by liberated Filipinos mingled with speeches by General MacArthur and President Sergio Osmena.

"We are here in this capital city of the province of Leyte," said MacArthur, "to establish under the protection of American arms the foundations of your commonwealth government and thereby initiate the restoration to the Philippine peoples of the sacred right of self-rule."

He announced all laws of the Philippines commonwealth, government, again are "in full force and effect and legally binding upon the Philippine people, free of enemy occupation and control."

The stirring ceremony was on the steps of the white stone Leyte Shrine.

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AMERICANS OVERRUN STRONG JAPANESE DEFENSE POSITIONS

YANK SEVENTH INFANTRY TROOPS MOVING UP OPEN VALLEY INLAND

By G. YATES MCDANIEL Associated Press War Editor.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, PHILIPPINES, Oct. 23.—(P)—The American soldiers, pushing westward on Leyte Island's southern front, today overran strong Japanese defense positions and were trying to trap enemy troops retreating up the wide Leyte valley.

A. P. War Correspondent Al Dopkins, on the southern front, reported the Yank Seventh Infantry division troops, led by tanks, were under command of Lt. Col. Inland from Dulag where one of the first American beachheads were established.

The troops engaged in the action were under command of Lt. Col. Heret Edmundson, of Georgia.

The country leading northwestward from Dulag is flat and ideal for tank warfare. The Leyte valley, over which the forces of liberation are moving, is 25 miles wide on the southwest. It tapers to 10 miles wide on the northeast. The valley is flanked by mountain ranges.

The action west of Dulag appeared to center on the highway leading from the east coast to the roadside town of San Pablo, seven miles inland. Beyond that town was Burauen, west end of the provincial road. There is a turn northward toward Dagmal, highway junction.

(Supposedly, the Japanese on the southern front were retreating northward up the open valley or falling back into mountain positions on the southwest of the valley.)

Meanwhile Tacloban, the provisional capital, occupied by the Yanks after they took the airfield that the Americans have come as "liberators for the entire Philippine Archipelago." How he will proceed in the liberation is the se-

TWIN BRITISH AND CANADIAN DRIVES IN ACTION ON MONDAY

SEEK TO DRIVE GERMANS FROM LOWLANDS TO OPEN PORT ANTWERP

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE Associated Press War Editor.

Twin British and Canadian offensives bit forward today in a push to clear the Germans from the southwestern lowlands and to open Antwerp as a huge supply base for the siege of Germany.

Canadian units had virtually wiped out the Nazi pocket below the Schelde Estuary mouth, capturing three strongholds, and spearheaded the advance toward the enemy anchor cities of Roersendaal and Bergen Op Zoom.

The British Second army, striking westward in three columns, battled to within three miles of S-Hertofenbosch, Dutch bastion holding open the escape lane from the lowlands coast. The U. S. Third army meanwhile pressed an offensive some 20 miles east of Nancy, and Berlin declared the American First army could be expected to attack at any moment along the Aachen sector.

Berlin also asserted the Soviets had launched two invasions of East Prussia, with house to house fighting proceeding for the highway town of Goldap, 13 miles inside the frontier and 31 miles from Intersburg. Another push further north, the Germans said, was menacing Tilsit.

Moscow Still Silent.

Moscow still was mum concerning East Prussia. But in Eastern Hungary the junction city of Nyiregyhaza (pop. 56,000) and other villages near the south Czechoslovakian border were swept up by armies advancing 32 miles nearer to Budapest. In Northern Yugoslavia, Red army men captured Combar (pop. 32,000) and crossed the Sava river beyond Belgrade.

On the Arctic front, the Soviets stood but 17 miles from the naval base of Murmansk.

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NAVY COMMENTATOR IN TOKYO SAYS JAPS NOW ON DEFENSIVE

By The Associated Press.

"Japan is now on the defensive," a Japanese naval commentator, Masanori Ito, said today in a dispatch transmitted by Doane news agency.

Ito's statement came in the context of remarks in which it was claimed that Japan "welcomed" the American invasion of the Philippines because it offered "another opportunity to deal crushing blows to the present enemy of the Pacific forces."

The seapower compared Formosa with Pearl Harbor but then said: "However, considerable differences exist in the present circumstances compared to three years ago. That difference is that Japan is now on the defensive while three years ago she was on the offensive."

The broadcast was recorded by the Federal Communications Commission.

The Japanese Domein news agency stated today that four more American ships had been damaged by Japanese bombers in Leyte Gulf of the Philippines.

The wireless dispatch beamed to North America and recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, listed the four as two destroyers, a transport and an aircraft carrier. Previous Tokyo claims asserted a transport and a destroyer had been sunk and five other ships damaged in the Gulf.

DRAMATIC RETURN MACARTHUR TO PHILIPPINES BREAKS BACK OF ALLIED TASK IN PACIFIC

By DEWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press War Analyst.

MacArthur's dramatic and successful return to the Philippines breaks the back of the Allied task in the Pacific, since the battle for these islands is the prelude to the final struggle for Japan itself, without the Philippines the Mikado's ill-gotten Empire of conquests will fall to pieces.

Once the American forces have overrun Leyte, which is strategically situated almost in the heart of the Archipelago and have established powerful air-bases, they will be able to sweep the rest of the islands with bombers. Today's reports show our men firmly established and smashing ahead with the job of clearing the island. The Japanese 16th division, the barbarians who tortured so many Yankies to death on Bataan, have taken to the hills—and wait until we get 'em.

General MacArthur declares in his proclamation to the Filipinos that the Americans have come as "liberators for the entire Philippine Archipelago." How he will proceed in the liberation is the secret of the high command, but presumably he will move northward into Luzon and then to Manila, unless developments change the picture. Luzon, whereon lies Manila, is the key which can unlock the Mikado's defenses.

From this most northern of the Philippines the Allies can dominate Japan's communications to her essential war supplies—like rubber and oil—in the East Indies. They can, by the same token, cut off from the homeland hundreds of thousands of Japanese troops in Indonesia and Burma. They can neutralize the powerful air-naval base of Formosa which is one of the chief shields of Nippon. They can reach the southeast coast of China to establish bases to aid the hard-hit Chinese and from those bases they can send bombers to rip at the vitals of Japan.

All that sounds mighty good—and it is good. However, let's not permit it to mislead us. As things now stand, it's a bloody route to Tokyo. The conquest of the Philippines in itself bids fair to be one of the greatest engagements of the entire world war.



SERVICEMEN TEAR UP UNION PLACARD—Aroused by a work stoppage which paralyzed production at the North American Aviation company's bomber plant at Kansas City, a group of servicemen visited the site and tore up union placards. A skeleton force of pickets was on hand but all but one left. (AP Wirephoto)

RETURN TO WORK

KANSAS CITY, Kans., Oct. 23.—(P)—The day shift of 8,000 workers went back on the job at North American Aviation's big bomber plant at 7 o'clock this morning after a work stoppage which began in the plant's modification center Thursday afternoon and spread to the main plant Friday.

SENATOR JOS. BALL, REPUBLICAN, COMES OUT FOR ROOSEVELT

SAYS PRESIDENT HAS MET FOREIGN POLICY ISSUE BETTER THAN DEWEY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—(P)—Senator Joseph H. Ball, Minnesota Republican, announced today that "I shall vote for and support President Roosevelt."

The Senator, abandoning his party for the Presidential race, said Mr. Roosevelt had met the foreign policy issues more squarely than had Gov. Thomas E. Dewey.

In his Saturday night speech on foreign relations Ball said, President Roosevelt kept a record of action by "making a square deal and unequivocally the two vital and controversial issues on which our entry into the United Nations security organization."

The Senator added in a statement: "He insisted that the United Nations organization be formed without delay, before hostilities cease, and that it be granted power to use military force against future aggressors without requiring individual approval of each member nation."

Dewey Not Plain Enough

"Governor Dewey has opposed delay but has not met squarely the second vital issue. He has spoken for a strong international security organization, but in each speech has so worded his commitment that both isolationists and internationalists could find comfort and support in what he said. A substantial part of his support in security circles is based on his talking straight isolationist doctrine to the country."

Mr. Roosevelt, Ball said, is in a position on this great issue to receive a clear and tremendously forceful mandate from the American people, while Dewey's mandate, he added, would be confused and weak and his leadership hampered by a serious division among his own supporters.

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War At A Glance

By The Associated Press

EASTERN FRONT — Germans announce Russian capture of Goldap, East Prussian highway center; Red army reaches Norwegian Arctic frontier.

WESTERN FRONT — Six allied armies pound tight-drawn Nazi defenses from Holland to Switzerland's border.

PHILIPPINES — Leyte Island being transferred into great base for Philippines campaign.

ITALY — Allies occupy Cervia on Adriatic coast.

GREEK — Aegean Island of Evvoia cleared of Germans.

CHINESE — Chinese counterattack north of Kwailin scores gains.

AFRICAL — 2,500 allied planes bomb six German targets without loss.

FOUR YEARS AGO TODAY

By The Associated Press

Oct. 21, 1940—Hitler and foreign Minister Von Ribbentrop meet with Gen. Franco head of Spanish State, at Hendaye on French border.

Ex-King Carol of Romania detained on arrival at Seville, Spain. Petain government bars Jews in Syria from government posts.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE HIGHWAY CENTER IN EASTERN PRUSSIA

GOLDAP TAKEN AND SOVIET OFFENSIVE BROADENED ALONG ALL BOUNDARY

LONDON, Oct. 23.—(P)—Russian armies have invaded East Prussia to a depth of 19 miles on an 88-mile front, Marshal Joseph Stalin announced tonight.

Berlin implied that the Russians may have crossed the Norwegian border. A broadcast said the Russians were attacking along the road leading from Salmiparvi to Kirkenes, Norway. Salmiparvi is on the border and an attack along the road apparently would put the Red army over the frontier.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—(P)—Capture of the border town of Salmiparvi at the Norwegian-Finnish border and all Finland's Northern Nickel mines was announced by Marshal Stalin tonight.

Deep penetrations in Nazi lines between Gdov and Suwalki were acknowledged.

The Germans said the front now was 150 miles long, close to the Arctic Sea pulled up to the border of Norway on a wide front within striking distance of the Norwegian iron harbor of Kirkenes, a German submarine and air base posing a constant threat to the Murmansk and Archangel convoys routes to Russia.

Far to the south, where the Russians were less than 130 miles from Austria and 180 from Vienna, Moscow announced victories both in Hungary and Yugoslavia. Sombor in Yugoslavia, a place of 32,000 and a communications center 95 miles northwest of liberated Belgrade, was toppled. So was Nyiregyhaza, a city of 56,000, close to the Czechoslovak border. At captured Baja on the Danube, the Russians were nearest to Austria and Vienna.

Wide penetrations of East Prussia were also reported by Berlin, but Moscow remained silent on the campaign which the enemy has reported for a week. German broadcasts said the Russians had pulled up on both sides of the rail center of Tilsit, a city of 50,000 on the Niemen river.

"Attacks and counterattacks are

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DEWEY GIVES OUT POSTWAR PROGRAM NATION'S FARMERS

POSITION OF UNITED STATES AMONG NATIONS ROOSEVELT SUBJECT

By J. W. DAVIS Associated Press Staff Writer.

How Americans can prosper in farm communities developed new political arguments today, along with the question of how America might work in a community of nations.

Governor Thomas E. Dewey traveled from New York State to the Midwest with his summary of postwar agricultural program, which he is expected to broadcast from Minneapolis tomorrow. He could present it for his Wednesday appearance at Chicago.

The choice of Minneapolis would place the Republican Presidential nominee in the same city where over the week-end vice President Wallace predicted that under a Republican administration the net farm income would "be cut in half within a few years."

Minnesota also figured in the political scene through the announcement by Joseph H. Ball, one of its Republican Senators, that he would have a statement today on whether he has decided Dewey or President Roosevelt is the man to elect in foreign policy grounds.

Assessors of Ball, who is an advocate of "active" peace agency, reported in advance they expected him to declare for Mr. Roosevelt.

They based this, they said, on Ball's reaction to Mr. Roosevelt's Saturday night speech in New York. The President then called for a world peace organization in which the American representative would have advance authority from Congress to help keep peace by force if necessary.

"We either work with the other great nations, or we might some day have to fight them," Mr. Roosevelt told the foreign policy association.

That speech climaxed a day of old-time campaigning in New York City, part of a plan for an aggressive attack on Dewey.

For the first time, Bradley permitted yesterday the disclosure that Harmon is again in command of the division.

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NOT ENOUGH NURSES

Today there is a critical shortage of nurses for the army. Tomorrow the situation will be worse. Major-General Norman T. Kirk, Surgeon General of the Army, explains the need as follows:

Of the 40,000 Army Nurse Force, 27,000 members are now overseas or assigned to units soon to go. The 4,000 with the air forces are not available for work in army hospitals already in existence here. Now, with the increase in casualties from all fronts, hospitals which were not considered necessary until spring must be put into commission this year.

The greatest possible use is already made of cadet nurses' aides and Wacs, but supervision is required for their work. This means that 10,000 are needed immediately from among the 209,000 civilian graduate nurses.

Civilian hospital authorities, already harassed enough, together with civilian doctors and patients desperate for trained assistance, will groan. But no one will deny that the wounded and sick of our armed forces deserve the best care there is. It's the job of the home folks to stay well. Then they will not miss the nurses the men must have.

LIBRARY GROWTH

This month the Cleveland Public Library is celebrating its 75th anniversary. From its beginning in rented rooms, with 5,800 books and 4,000 card-holders, the library has grown to international fame for the size and quality of its collections and the variety of its services.

Members of a family which in 1870 might have one book per week, on the one card was permitted, could today draw at one time as many books as each could carry, on any subjects they could think of, from a collection of more than 2,500,000 volumes. And do they want pamphlets, phonograph records, sheet music, film reels? All they need to do is ask.

For the thing which made this library great is the spirit of its service. The Biblical "Ask and ye shall receive" might be its slogan. And not content with handling such business as comes to it, the library has gone to the people. It has 24 branch and special libraries, hundreds of stations and small shelves reaching all parts of the city, jails, hospitals and residence sections.

Not scorning publicity, it tells the public what it can do for them—and then delivers the goods. No wonder it has the highest proportion of card-holders to population of any city in the country. Or that the citizens of Cleveland celebrate its anniversary "with pride and gratitude" as one newspaper states.

The growth of all public libraries in the country, in size and service, from their first beginnings, is one of the remarkable developments of the century. The library has become one of the great educational and recreational forces of the nation. Like all public institutions, however, it needs more generous and intelligent support from the citizens.

With President Roosevelt and Henry J. Kaiser both trying to get a big vote, there ought to be a record turn-out.

Where will Hitler be a year from now?

Edgar A. Guest**THE SEASONS.**

Four seasons fill the passing year
And never one the other sees.
Winter has never known the cheer
Of leaf and blossom on the trees.
Drab are the woods and field and hills
Till winter blankets them with snow.
For trilliums and daffodils
Are charms that winter cannot know.
The springtime never sees the rose,
Nor the rich gold of ripened grain.
Always into the past it goes,
To wait the time to plant again.
Then softly summer slips away
Out of the year beyond recall,
Denied the privilege to stay
And see the glory of the fall.

THE FIGHT FOR PEACE

Millions of Americans lament that the free-ranging spirit of Wendell Willkie is no longer present as a contributor and monitor for the new procedure so obviously necessary among the nations of the world. He was not literally a man with a plan ready to start the world in the right direction tomorrow morning, but he certainly was, in Lippmann's striking phrase, his party's conscience, and to a remarkable degree also his nation's. He would have been a powerful contributor to the aims of the world.

The spirit of this able and generous man may well hover over the operations started at Dumbarton Oaks and all other patriotic efforts to create a real civilization, free from this periodic warfare and destruction. Rightly appraised, Willkie's voice should be a steady and lasting power for international righteousness and peace, even though his contributions come no longer from the present warmth of his voice and hand.

A League of Nations for the peace of the world! That dream of Woodrow Wilson is joined with the dreams of Wendell Willkie, and also of countless millions of living Americans and international patriots throughout the world. The demand for peace through international co-operation can no longer be ignored. It becomes part of the common sense and aspiration of all the world.

UNDEVELOPED RUSSIA

Russia is such a giant and has done so much in the war that it is startling to learn how undeveloped she is in some ways. In international trade, for example, before the war the Soviets, despite their 180,000,000 population, imported and exported less than the four small Baltic states of Finland, Estonia, Lithuania and Latvia, which have but 10,000,000 people all told. The figures for 1937, furnished by the League of Nations, were: Russia, \$344,000,000; Finland, \$239,000,000; Latvia, \$57,000,000; Lithuania, \$42,000,000 and Estonia, \$35,000,000. Thus these four small states did \$29,000,000 more trade than their huge neighbor.

This, of course, will not always be the case. Russia was very busy during those years on improvements within her own borders. She has immense possibilities for foreign as well as domestic trade, which will be realized eventually.

THE FOOD SITUATION

Plenty of eggs, fresh vegetables and grain products are promised for winter and early spring. Coffee seems to be coming along all right, with no real danger of diminution, and the sugar beet industry has finally shown up with a good prospect of having more sugar to pass around than was at first believed. The increased sugar supply is not ready yet, but it is on the way and will be ready about Christmas. Bananas are appearing a little more frequently.

Against these items of good news must be set the fact that there will be short-civilian supplies of meat, butter and cream. There will be the usual autumn seasonal increase in the supply of better quality pork, and of poultry also, but on the whole there is less poultry than there was last year. No improvement is expected in the quality of beef. Delicious fruits will be plentiful and there is hope of a

**Courthouse News**

District Court.
The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the fifth week of the October term for the week beginning Tuesday, Oct. 31:
Roy Howell, Kerens; J. B. Scott, Corsicana; E. A. Inmon, Kerens; Jack Anderson, Kerens; R. J. Harris, Corsicana; R. W. Montgomery, Eureka; C. F. Westbrooks, Kerens; W. C. Absher, Corsicana; Calvin Lord, Kerens; T. O. Farmer, Rouse; J. E. Stanley, Kerens; I. Kerr Cowan, Corsicana; A. S. Morton, Barry; Harvey Ward, Powell; O. M. Gilcrease, Corsicana; J. E. Bryant, Blooming Grove; W. J. Cottongame, Dawson; J. K. McCarter, Kerens; A. H. Fausett, Chalfont; W. C. Reed, Barry; Lawrence Collins, Kerens; Robert Hale, Kerens; E. D. Brasley, Kerens; J. R. Copeland, Corsicana; R. S. Blankinship, Corsicana; R. P. Jordan, Corsicana; J. T. Wainwright, Corsicana; W. L. Gandy, Chalfont; Tom Petty, Anderson; J. L. Batchelor, Corsicana; S. S. Boyd, Corsicana; J. R. Clark, Rice; H. T. Edmondson, Corsicana; J. E. S. McDowell, Corsicana; E. H. Burleson, Corsicana; R. Worsham, Barry; Lillie Fay Jones vs. Lee Jones, divorce granted.
Lyle Taylor vs. Annie Taylor, divorce granted.
Annie Lucy Bruce vs. Herman Bruce, divorce granted.
Bernice Louise Jenkins vs. Marshall Lee Jenkins, divorce granted.
Richard Mays, father of District Judge A. P. Mays, was in the courtroom Monday on counsel in a case set for trial. This is the first time Counsel Mays has been in his son's courtroom since he assumed the bench, July 1, 1943. The elder attorney fell a couple of years ago, fracturing a hip.

District Clerk's Office.
Garfield Williams vs. Leola Williams, divorce.
Nathan Barbel vs. James Arthur Barbel, divorce.
Jesse Johnson vs. Mary Johnson, divorce.

County Attorney's Office.
A man was named in a driving while intoxicated complaint, accepted by the county attorney's office. The arrest was by Byron Currin, state highway patrolman.

Probate Court.
The will of Fannie Greenlee, deceased, was filed for probate Thursday.
The will of Mary Ann Glover, deceased, was filed for probate Friday morning.

Marriage License.
Harry Calame and Julia Calame.
Norman Allyn Lang, Jr., and Margaret Lee Rankin.
Glendon Douglas Putman and Hazel Marie Griffin.
Delma Rea Adams and Dorothy Lee Berry.
Robert Cleveland Henderson and Bernice Louise Henderson.
Otis Ellis and Ida Marie Gurley.
W. F. Mahoney and Mary Frances Harris.

Warranty Deeds.
Mrs. Elsie Ware to R. P. Richardson, a lot 100x125 feet in block 374, Corsicana, \$1,750.
Doyle Pevhouse et ux to F. Hagan, lots 10 and 13 block 1, R. L. Miller addition, Corsicana, \$100.
Arbia Francis Puckett to Andrew F. Eickman, 1 acre of the R. Leach survey, \$77.50.
Homer T. Seale, et ux, to Mrs. Abbie C. Lindsey, 1-40th. Interest in 72 acres of the Thomas Morrow

record crop of the citrus fruits.

Apparently, the American people are going to have plenty to eat. But butter and bacon must be handled with care, and the thick steaks of yesterday will be few. Thanksgiving will, however, find Americans grateful not only for their own security, but for the fact that next year some of the liberated peoples will be able, freely and joyfully, to take care of themselves.

and Win J. Carnes surveys. \$1 and other considerations.
Willie E. Fields, et ux, to Ruth Dickens, et al. 30 acres of the Wiley Sparks survey. \$1 and other considerations.
Amie Henry to Ruth Dickens, et al. 34 acres of the Wiley Sparks survey. \$1 and other considerations.
Bertha Bunert, et al, to Leroy Harvey, et ux, Lot 5, Block 513, Corsicana, \$85.
Edward Miles, et ux, to B. E. Conner, et ux, Lot 3, Block 1, E. Noble Addition, Kerens, \$100.
Mrs. Ada Queen, et al, to W. C. Murdock, Lot 3, Block 83, Kerens, \$1,121.
J. C. Miller, et ux, to W. L. Chewning, 2-3 acres of the Cabell Cole survey, Cole Addition, Powell, \$1,150.
W. D. Williams et ux to J. H. Trone, 2 27 1-2 acres R. H. White and E. F. Baker surveys, \$12,455.
M. E. Hawkins, Jr., et ux to Miss Mabel Marsh, lot 13, block 526-A, Ficklin Addition, Corsicana, \$800, and other considerations.
Lula Dunn to Louise Copeland, 1-2 interest in 136x150 feet, A. Shelton survey, 1 mile south of Kerens, \$200.
Lula Dunn to Louise Copeland, 1-2 interest in 136x150 feet, A. Shelton survey, 1 mile south of Kerens, \$50.
John Clifford Wilson et ux to A. C. Bellow, lots 1 and 2, block 2, Robinson Addition, Frost, and lots 11 and 12, block 2, Robinson Addition, Frost, \$500.
Carl D. Jackson et al to P. S. Travis et al, block 348, Corsicana, \$1,000.

Royalty Deeds.
L. M. Seale et ux, to S. S. Noss, 1-4 royalty interest in 200 acres of the Hiram Bush survey, \$101.
Ruth B. Holland to S. S. Noss, 1-4 royalty interest in 149 2/3 acres of the Hiram Bush survey, \$10.
Royalty Contracts.
Nora B. Qualls to Morris L. Drechen, 1-8 royalty interest in 19 acres D. H. Love survey, \$10 and other considerations.
Mrs. Nora B. Qualls to H. T. Braselton, 1-6 royalty interest in 10 1-2 acres J. W. Orr survey, \$10 and other considerations.

Justice Court.
Two were fined on intoxication charges, two for affray and three on highway regulation infractions by Judge Hayden Paschall.
One was fined on a speeding charge by Judge A. E. Foster Saturday morning.
A driving while intoxicated complaint was filed for transcription to the county court.
One was named in a violation of the prohibition laws complaint accepted by Judge A. E. Foster Saturday morning.

Sheriff's Office.
Two were arrested on intoxication charges, one for driving while intoxicated and one on a capias, according to Sheriff Cap Curington.

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INSTALL OFFICERS JR. HIGH SCHOOL AT THURSDAY MEETING

Bennie Poarch and Allyn Helfner, president and vice president, respectively, of the Junior High School Student Council, took their oath of office administered by Gaston T. Gooch, principal, during the school assembly Thursday afternoon. Drue McCormick was sworn in as secretary-treasurer, and Jenn Cook as assistant secretary-treasurer.

Installation of home representatives included: IBI, Gerald Bowen, Sandra Rutherford; IBI, Charles Curtis, Catherine Croft; IBI, Dick Robinson, Jane Tatum; IBI, Eddy Golden, Mary Beth George; IBI, Douglas Jackson, Norma Jean Inlow; IBI, J. Carroll McReynolds; Bobby Holsey; IBI, Peggy Shook, Dorothy Taylor.
EBI, Jess Hilber, Jr., Dolores Chapman; IBI, Billie Clark, Julia Ann Rankin; IBI, Charles Bridges, John David; IBI, Billie Alfred, Harry Findley; IBI, Katherine Regester, Darnie Montgomery; IBI, Jerry Wolons, Arlet Shell.
W. H. Norwood, superintendent of schools, discussed briefly "Good Citizenship in a Democracy." Explaining how governments are instituted among men by consent of the governed to regulate the society in which these men live, the speaker pointed out that a student government such as the one in Junior High School is evidence of the democratic principle in action.

In discussing the purpose of living Norwood stated that all individuals have a purpose to serve in society. They may serve a good purpose, or otherwise. Norwood emphasized the necessity for youth to continue in both public school and college, in order to obtain the necessary foundations for good citizenship and purposeful living.

THIRTEEN METHODIST CHAPLAINS LISTED AS DEAD IN SERVICE

According to the latest issue of the "Christian Advocate," national publication of the Methodist Church Thirteen Methodist Chaplains in this war have died in service up to time of publication, and one is missing in action. Six have been killed in action.

Of those killed in action it lists the following: Robert E. Lee Atsbaugh, East Oklahoma Conference; Holke Smith, South Georgia Conference; George L. Fox, Troy Conference; H. W. Gravelley, Upper South Carolina Conference; Francis Elmer Hand, New Jersey Conference; and Harlan Ross McDaniel, Central Texas Conference. The last named was pastor at Blooming Grove at one time and led the singing for a revival held in the First Methodist church here.

Death from other causes: Robert H. Humphrey, Virginia; Edgar Allen Swann, Virginia; Edgar R. Attebery, California; Burton H. Coleman, Central Texas Conference; Henry George Mals, Troy Conference; Edward J. Robbins, Iowa; and Raymond A. Partee, California.

The chaplain missing in action is T. E. Johnson, Jr., of Virginia.

Dallas Woman Died Sunday; Buried In Mexia On Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Reckard, who died in Dallas early Sunday morning, were held Monday morning at 11 o'clock from the Mexia Catholic church with Fr. Pendergrast conducting the rites. Burial was in the Mexia cemetery. Surviving are a son, Harry Talmadge, Dallas, and other relatives. Corley Funeral Home directed the arrangements.

CARD OF THANKS.
We take this method of thanking our friends and relatives for their kindness while ill, and at death and to Rev. Jim Langston of Wortham. And for the beautiful floral offerings in our recent bereavement and to my husband and our father and grandfather, B. H. Pickett, Dawson, Tex. His wife, Three Sons and Grandchildren, and Great-grandchildren.

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**Kerens Bobcats Leading District 21-B Aggregation**

Kerens Bobcats are undisputed leaders of District 21-B, Inter-scholastic League following Friday's results.

Kerens disposed of the Blooming Grove Lions 52-6, in the most decisive game of the season, while the Hubbard Jaguars were no match for the favored Frost Polar Bears at Frost, 7-6. Kerens is now the only undefeated club in the district.

Other results saw Dawson defeat the Trinidad Tigers, 14-6, while the Wortham Bulldogs came back strong to defeat the Mildred Eagles, 19-0.

Next Week's Schedule.
Mildred at Hubbard.
Dawson at Wortham.
Kerens at Kerens.
Italy vs. Trinidad (Italy has abandoned the schedule, giving Trinidad the game.)

Standing.

Team	D	L	T	Points
Kerens	4	0	0	100
Frost	3	1	0	80
Dawson	3	1	0	70
Hubbard	2	1	1	67
Wortham	2	1	1	50
Mildred	1	1	1	37
Blooming Grove	1	3	1	30
Italy	0	3	1	25
Trinidad	0	4	1	10

Freestone Service Men
FAIRFIELD, Oct. 21. (Sp.)—Names of Freestone county men in the armed service have been placed on a board located on the court house square in Fairfield. There are 1220 whites and 442 colored.

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Corsicana Mayor Main Speaker For Wortham Civic Club

WORTHAM, Oct. 20.—(Sp.)—The Wortham Civic Club met for reorganization and elected the following officers for the Club year: President, J. Mil Auld; vice-president, Elmo Longbottom; secretary-treasurer, Carl Zoda; assistant secretary, W. L. Garret. The initial meeting of the club was held in the gymnasium Wednesday.

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REPORTS HEARD ON INSIDE ENLARGEMENT CAMPAIGN BAPTISTS

Final reports of the inside enlargement campaign in the Corsicana Baptist association were made at the meeting of the workers Sunday at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist church here.

Twenty of the twenty-four churches in the association participated and the campaign is under way in three others this week and the final one will be carried out later according to Rev. D. P. Cagle, associational missionary.

Approximately 800 attended the study course taught in connection with the campaign, while 1258 Baptists were listed in the association not enrolled in Sunday School. Approximately 27 were enlisted in Sunday School.

The campaign is under way this week in Powell, Union Hill and Bazette. Farmer will hold a campaign later.

Churches participating in the campaign last week were Angus, Barry, Blooming Grove, Currie, Cawley (Corsicana), First Corsicana, Dawson, Emhouse, Frost, Kerens, Mildred, Memorial (Corsicana), North Side (Corsicana), Navarro Mills, Puddin, Richland, Roane, Streetman, Shiloh and Round Prairie.

Dr. W. P. Phillips, general director; Dr. G. S. Hopkins, Dallas State Sunday School director, and Dr. Sibley Burnett, Nashville were here for the campaign, the first of its kind conducted by the Southern Baptist convention.

DAWSON RESIDENT DIED LOCAL CLINIC RITES ARE PENDING

B. E. Hardy, well known Dawson resident, died at the Navarro Clinic Sunday at 9 p. m., following an operation several days ago.

Funeral arrangements are pending information from a son in the navy and a daughter, who resides in California.

Surviving are his wife, of Dawson; a daughter, Mrs. Frances Hardy Vanderhoeven, California; three sons, Olin Ray Hardy, U. S. Navy, Pacific Coast; B. R. Hardy, Dallas; and a daughter, Miss Cornelia Hardy, deputy county clerk, Corsicana; a brother, Jess Hardy, Dawson, and other relatives.

Funeral services will be at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Baptist church at Richland, with Rev. Mr. Holloway conducting the rites. Burial will be in the Richland cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Richland; a son, Cop Wayne McClendon, U. S. Navy; two brothers, E. W. McClendon, Paducah; Roy McClendon, Estelline; three sisters, and other relatives.

Pallbearers will be Walter Hendon, Boyd Carter, Louis White, Thayer Winstend, Neal Brown, Sr., and Guy Linsford.

Corley's Funeral Home will direct arrangements.

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E. E. Callendar, of the U. S. Department of the Interior, is distributing rat poison in the business section today in connection with the rodent extermination campaign being conducted by the County Health unit and sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

J. W. McCommon stated that fine co-operation had been received from the merchants in the campaign, about 90 per cent of them having purchased the bait. McCommon urges residents of the city to make application at the health unit for the red squill to be used in the residential sections in order that the bait might be mixed.

Have something you don't need? Try a Want Ad and convert it to cash. Just phone 163.

PIONEER OF KERENS BURIED AT BAZETTE MONDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. B. B. Crawford, pioneer Kerens resident, died at the family home north of Kerens Saturday night following an illness of two years.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with interment in the Bazette cemetery.

The rites were conducted by Rev. R. J. Fletcher, Baptist minister.

Surviving are her husband, a son, Roy L. Crawford, both of Kerens; a grandchild, and other relatives.

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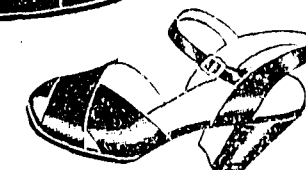
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Betty Pritchett, Sgt. Brewer Take Nuptial Vows

A wedding of notable interest was solemnized at the Methodist Church in Rice on Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, when Miss Betty Pritchett, daughter of Mrs. B. P. Pritchett, became the bride of Sgt. Leon W. Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Brewer of Rice. The young couple pledged their marriage vows during an impressive double ring service read by Rev. D. R. McCauley, assisted by Rev. M. C. Bledsoe.

Arrangements of white asters, calla lilies and gladioli, illumined by gleaming white cathedral tapers on floor standards, adorned the altar space, while palms and other greenery provided an appropriate background for the bridal blossoms.

Miss Jeannette Christian of Dallas sang "Always" and "At Dawn" accompanied by Mrs. H. O. Baldwin who also played the traditional wedding marches as processional and recessional. Given Away by Mother.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her mother, was attired in a smart tailor of grey wool gabardine, with black accessories, and she carried a dainty white Testament topped with a white orchid, and showered with stigmatis and diminutive satin ribbons.

Miss Maudie Walker of Corsicana, maid of honor, wore a suit of soldier blue wool, with fuchsia blouse, black accessories, and a corsage of coral and white carnations. The bride's mother chose black shoes with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony an informal reception for members of the bride's family, the families and more than a hundred close friends was held at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hawkins.

Wedding Cake. The three-tiered, satin-embossed wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and soldier-bridegroom, was placed at one end of the lace-laid bride's table, and a crystal punch service presided over by Miss Frances Bowden was placed at the opposite end. A profusion of white asters and gladioli in a crystal basket provided a center decor for the table.

Miss Jeannette Christian served the cake, Misses Van Natta Fitzgerald and Marjorie Brewer of Dallas acted as bridesmaids, and Miss Scottie Wofford of Dallas had charge of the bride's book.

An interesting feature of the reception was the display of lovely wedding gifts that were presented by the couple by their many friends.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Miami, Fla., where Sgt. Brewer will report for reassignment.

The bride graduated from Corsicana High school and Draughon's Business college in Dallas, and the bridegroom graduated from Rice High School, and has just completed eight months of training in the European theater of operations.

Personal Mention Of Kerens Folk

KERENS, Oct. 21--(Sp.)--Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and Mrs. Bobby, of El Paso, visited in the home of Mrs. M. L. Speed the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, of New Orleans, La., and Mrs. J. J. Newberry of Conroe are visiting in the home of their mother, Mrs. J. E. Queen.

Mrs. M. L. Speed attended a 42 party Thursday afternoon at Kinsloe House as the guest of Mrs. Harrison Burks, Miss Elsie Warren and Mrs. T. E. Hewitt.

R. H. Logan, of Louisiana, and Miss Clementine Bain of Kentucky spent last week in Kerens with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw is spending the week in San Antonio with children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Kemp.

G. L. Smith of Houston is visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jack Hill, of Kerens.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Murphy, Mrs. W. L. Bain, Sr., and Mrs. A. L. Bain were Dallas visitors Tuesday.

Rev. J. W. Owsley spent Tuesday in Fort Worth.

Gingercake Baking Demonstrated For Emhouse H. D. Club

Gingercake baking was demonstrated by Mrs. Ina Grooms at the Emhouse Home Demonstration Club meeting Oct. 17, in the home of Mrs. L. E. Logan.

It was voted that the organization buy a war bond with part of the club funds. Annual reports are to be handed in at the Nov. 7 meeting.

Mrs. C. J. Armstrong, Council delegate, requested suggestions for the yearbooks. Suggestions under consideration are "Grooming" and "Miss to Miss."

Mrs. Mary Shackelford will be hostess to the meeting on Nov. 7, when Miss Vera Sneed, county agent, will give a demonstration, titled "What's Cookin'."

College Romance Is Climaxed In Wortham Wedding

WORTHAM, Oct. 20--(Sp.)--It was a happy climax of "college day sweetest days" after six years, when Miss Grace McKinney and Ernest Tom Herbert Wolfe were married Sunday, with a beautiful candlelight ceremony in the First Methodist church of Wortham, the bride's pastor, Rev. W. B. Banc, officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McKinney of Wortham. Ensign Wolfe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Newton Wolfe of Waco. He is in the United States Maritime Service.

Outstanding and sweet sentiment of the occasion, the fifteen-year-old brother of the bridegroom, Paul Kenneth Wolfe, played the wedding marches, and during the ceremony played "To a Wild Rose." Prerequisite selections were given by the following: Mesdames Ralph Calam and Johnny Mackey, violinists, accompanied by Miss Grace Hackney. During this time Misses Patsy Bounds and Brownie Wimberly lighted the candles.

The bride wore a gown of ivory satin gown fashioned with basque bodice, and cathedral train, and a veil of silk marquisette edged with delicate seed pearls, embroidered of orange blossoms, by Mary Queen of Scots' halo of matching seed pearls capped her chapel-length veil of misty illusion.

The bridegroom wore a tulle, long torso, black, and full bouffant skirts, and demitails of matching tulle.

The bridegroom's father was best man. Groomsmen were Dr. W. C. Selman of Dallas, Sidney Wieser of Hamilton, Horace Owen of Dallas, and Morris LeFevre of Wortham.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the bride's table was lovely in arrangement, centered with the three-tiered wedding cake. During the reception the couple left for Dallas to spend their honeymoon.

For travel the bride wore a black dressmaker suit of light weight wool, and semi-clot hat with veil.

Both the bride and bridegroom were graduated from Southwestern University. She was a member of Phi Gamma, Mu and Sigma Tau Delta, honorary societies, and was president of Zeta Tau Alpha. Ensign Wolfe was member of Phi Delta Theta.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gould of Houston, Mrs. James E. Harmon, Miss Lida Spragins, Miss Winifred Horn and Lt. Robert W. Wood, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mrs. Roydon Bowen, Corsicana; Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Selman of Dallas, Sidney Wieser of Hamilton, Horace Owen of Dallas, and Morris LeFevre of Wortham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watwood entertained with a home-coming on Sunday honoring their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watwood, who is on furlough from the U. S. Army, after having returned recently from duty in the Hawaiian Islands. Another honoree was Tom Bryson, whose birthday fell on Sunday.

The home was attractively decorated with cut flowers and ferns, and after a bountiful dinner, the afternoon was spent in informal conversation and an everybody-sing inside.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Willis, Jr., Sgt. Scott Willis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nutt and daughter, Mary Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryson, Mrs. Lloyd Grimes, Mrs. Adick Dickson, Mrs. Lucille and Beulah Dickson, Mrs. Howard E. Willis, Robert C. Caskey, Sandra Minor, Carl Owens, Mary Helen Owens and Mrs. A. Howard of Ennis, and McGuire, and the host and hostess.

Pvt. Edward Kuebel has returned to Camp Hondo following a two week's furlough visit in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. E. Frey, and his aunt, Miss Bertha Bunker.

Mrs. J. K. Bradley of Rice, president of 12th District Parent-Teacher Associations, and Mrs. J. E. Davis of Dawson, vice-president of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, will conduct a school of instruction immediately following the County Council, PTA luncheon scheduled for Kinsloe House on November 4th.

Mrs. Sid Story has returned from a visit of several weeks in California. She visited her son, Lt. Bob Campbell and wife in Pomona, and her brother, Arthur Johnson, in Los Angeles.

Relatives of Second Lieut. Dan Cunningham have received word that he has been promoted to First Lieutenant. Lieut. Cunningham has completed thirty-two missions in the European theatre of operations where he is a member of the 15th Air Division.

Beatrice R. McCormick, county judge, has returned from a visit with her husband, Pvt. E. D. McCormick, U. S. Army, San Antonio, Texas.

Cpl. and Mrs. Clayton Kent and daughter, Kathy Jo, of Midland, are spending ten days in the home of Mrs. Kent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Binford of Dallas, who work and visit in the home of Mrs. Binford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Binford, are spending the week in the home of Mrs. Binford's mother, Mrs. W. W. Binford.

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Lieut. and Mrs. Paul S. Ferguson have returned from a wedding trip to New Orleans, La. Mrs. Ferguson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Bowen of this city and her sister, Miss Betty Ruth Smith, SMU student, were among those who attended a luncheon in the Century Room Dallas on Friday morning. Mrs. Bowen, the former Miss Grace McKinney of Wortham, Mrs. Fred Horn and daughter, Miss Frances Winifred Horn, were hostesses for the courtesy.

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Parent-Teacher County Council Luncheon Nov. 4

The fall PTA County Council luncheon will be held at Kinsloe House on Saturday, November 4, at 12 o'clock. Reservations may be made with Mrs. J. R. Copeland at Kinsloe House at 75 cents each through the evening of November 1. The president, or her alternate, and three elected members from the various districts, plus a local unit constitute the voting body but the numbers are not limited as to the number of members who are eligible to attend.

Local presidents and County Council committee chairmen will be given an opportunity to make a report on their plans for the year.

Mrs. J. K. Bradley of Rice, president of Twelfth District, and Mrs. J. E. Davis of Dawson, state vice president, have been invited to give the school of instruction.

Mrs. O. K. Vinson, president of the Council, will have charge of business features of the November 4 meeting.

Program Details. Program details for the meeting have been announced as follows: "Stars of the Summer Night" and "Amplify" will be presented by a trio from Travis school—Ruth Elaine Foster, Glendene Olsen and Ina Boyd.

Mrs. J. E. Summell, teacher of public school music at Travis school, will sing "The Trout" by Schubert, after which a school of instruction will be conducted by Mesdames J. K. Bradley of Rice and J. E. N. Anderson of Temple.

Committee Chairman Announced. Committee chairmen for the Council for 1944-45 have been announced as follows: Program—Miss Alma Armstrong, principal Wm. B. Travis school, Corsicana.

Publicity—Miss Irene Prince, principal Sam Houston school, Corsicana.

Radio—Miss Sarah Holman, principal Robert E. Lee school, Corsicana.

Hospitality—Mrs. Percy Varnell, Ennis.

Health and Summer Roundup—Mrs. L. L. Hamilton, Dawson.

Budget and Finance—Mrs. Ernest Emma, Rice.

Mother—Mrs. Miller Reed, Blooming Grove.

Life Membership and Endowment—Mrs. G. C. Goodin, Navarro.

Juvenile Protection and Recreation—Mrs. J. E. Davis, Dawson.

War Activities—Mrs. Mike Edwards, Pettys Chapel.

Library—Mrs. Willie Massey, Ennis.

Parliamentarian—Mrs. T. S. Hooser, Frost.

Historian—Mrs. Wank Wilson, Pettys Chapel.

Registration—Mrs. W. V. Harrison, Frost.

Watwoods Honored Their Soldier Nephew With Sunday Dining

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watwood entertained with a home-coming on Sunday honoring their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watwood, who is on furlough from the U. S. Army, after having returned recently from duty in the Hawaiian Islands. Another honoree was Tom Bryson, whose birthday fell on Sunday.

The home was attractively decorated with cut flowers and ferns, and after a bountiful dinner, the afternoon was spent in informal conversation and an everybody-sing inside.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Willis, Jr., Sgt. Scott Willis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nutt and daughter, Mary Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryson, Mrs. Lloyd Grimes, Mrs. Adick Dickson, Mrs. Lucille and Beulah Dickson, Mrs. Howard E. Willis, Robert C. Caskey, Sandra Minor, Carl Owens, Mary Helen Owens and Mrs. A. Howard of Ennis, and McGuire, and the host and hostess.

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MARRIED IN EMHOUSE CHURCH. Pictured above is Mrs. Charles F. Payne, who before her marriage to Pvt. Charles F. Payne, in the Emhouse First Baptist Church, Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, was Miss Katy Jewel Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Watkins, Emhouse. Pvt. Payne is the son of Mrs. B. F. Payne of Emhouse. The Rev. Jack Goff read the double-ring ceremony that united the couple. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride part then left on a short wedding trip.—Photo by Tessie Dickson Studio.

SOCIAL REVUE

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Kent have as their guests Corp. and Mrs. Clayton Kent and daughter, Kathy Jo, of Midland, who have just concluded a visit in the home of Mrs. Effie Bonner.

Mrs. H. L. Flagg of Malakoff was a recent spend-the-day visitor in the home of her sister, Mrs. L. C. Polk.

Friends of Mrs. Effie Bonner will be interested in knowing that her sons, Lieut. John Bonner, Jr., and Pvt. Jerrill Harris, are now on combat duty in England and the Southwest Pacific respectively.

Yeoman Second Class and Mrs. Bob Lee have returned to Corpus Christi following a visit with Mrs. Effie Bonner and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Flagg, who are visiting in the home of Rev. L. E. Harris at League City, and while here, spent two days in San Antonio as guests of J. Hughland Lee.

Corp. and Mrs. Clayton Kent of Midland, Yeoman Second Class Willie Hodges of Puerto Rico, Yeoman Second Class and Mrs. Bob Lee of Corpus Christi were named honorees at a party at Hamilton Lodge, near Barksdale on Tuesday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton as host and hostess.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billie Binford of Dallas, who work and visit in the home of Mrs. Binford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Binford, are spending the week in the home of Mrs. Binford's mother, Mrs. W. W. Binford.

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Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery Body In Its Annual Picnic

In speaking to members of the Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery Association, who assembled in an annual picnic session at the cemetery on Friday, Dr. Matthew Arnold stated that the association was formed and is continuing through the efforts of its members. Its purpose, he declared, is to keep and perpetuate worthily the memory of loved ones who have gone before. He characterized the annual meetings of the association as occasions for renewing ties which are personal and of long standing.

He commended the members for outstanding work they are doing in keeping the last resting places of their relatives in splendid condition. This may easily be done through an association with dues, and stated that it should be considered a privilege to invest money in such a worthy undertaking.

Yesterday and Today Meet. Continuing, he said: "Yesterday and today are met here. Our thoughts are pleasant and not at all morbid. Death is a serious event but it is not a catastrophe. You are keeping this place and in keeping you are deriving inspiration for your daily life. Moments have that end in a view," he stated, as he referred to the Washington home at Mount Vernon, the Alamo in San Antonio and other memorials.

"Monuments are more than reminders of the past," the speaker continued. Their purpose is to inspire the living to make their lives better, adding that the best commemorative monument is one by marble or granite, but by living so that we should gain their approval. We owe this to them, ourselves and to God," the speaker stated.

Albert Young served as master of ceremonies and introduced the speaker.

Among out of town members in attendance at the picnic were Mesdames W. A. Wofford and Ted Ferguson of Dallas.

First Letter From Husband In Several Months Is Received

For the first time in several months, Mrs. Stephen Palmeri has heard from her husband, who states that he was promoted to Mess Sergeant, to Staff Sergeant on Sept. 22nd, and that he is in splendid health, and that he is now in France with the invasion armies.

Sgt. Palmeri also stated that he is collecting German souvenirs to send to his son, David.

The R. P. Hedricks Parents Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hedrick of San Antonio announce the arrival of a son, born Oct. 13, in the eighth month of pregnancy. The baby was named Robert Lynn Hedricks and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hedrick of Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Hedrick, Corsicana.

Currie HD Club Elected Officers

Mrs. Jess Oliver was elected president. Bonnie Abbe, vice president, and Mrs. Ida Whithead, secretary-treasurer, of the Currie home demonstration club at a meeting Friday, Oct. 20, in the home of Mrs. Mattie Williams.

Other officers named were Mrs. Mary Williams, council delegate; Mrs. Odessa Wilson, reporter; home food supply; Mrs. John Harris, home improvement; Mrs. Joe Thompson, parliamentarian.

Mrs. J. E. Thompson will be hostess to the club on Nov. 3.

LIEUT. MONTAGUE RECEIVES SECOND OAK LEAF CLUSTER

HQ. TENTH AIR FORCE IN INDIA.—First Lieutenant Donald E. Montague, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Montague, 144 West Grant street, Caro, Mich., has received his second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal "for meritorious achievement in aerial flight." Maj. Gen. Howard C. Davidson, commanding general, Tenth air force, EAC, has announced.

The pilot for a troop carrier squadron of the Tenth Air Force, operates against the Japs throughout the China-Burma-India theater. Lt. Montague, whose wife resides at 519 West First Avenue, Corsicana, also holds the Distinguished Flying Cross with an Oak Leaf Cluster.

His latest citation reads, in part: "x x for meritorious achievement in aerial flight. He participated, as pilot, in operational flights totaling more than three hundred hours in unarmored, heavily loaded transport planes, during which exposure to enemy fire was probable and expected. He has completed a night from bases in Uppad Assam, providing food, clothing, mail, medical supplies and material to our forward elements, and to those of our Indian, British and Chinese Allies in the hills and mountains of the Burma front. Undaunted by the hazards of flying regularly and continuously, he has performed his duties in such a manner that the highest credit is reflected upon himself and the military forces of the United States."

Sick And Convalescent Mrs. A. D. Sanders is in the P. and S. Hospital for treatment of a fractured hip.

Mrs. R. J. Goldman has a tonsillotomy at the P. and S. Hospital.

A daughter was born to Mrs. R. A. Watson at the P. and S. Hospital Monday morning.

Mrs. W. A. Vinson is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

Mrs. E. E. Ward is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

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White Selectees Inducted. A group of white selectees were sent to Dallas Monday from Navarro county for induction into the armed forces.

Miss Margaret Pannell was guest organist at the First Baptist church on Sunday morning.

Silver Tea Will Feature Costumes Of Days of Yore

When the circle of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church headed by Mrs. Allen Edens, Sr., entertains a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Allen Edens, Jr., on Friday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock, members of the receiving list will be regaled with from fashion pages of more than a quarter century ago.

Greeting guests upon arrival will be Frances Edens III and Allen Edens, III, four-year-old twins of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Edens, Jr.

Frances III will be attired in a floor-length blue sateen costume with a train. With adornment of lace and wide white satin sash, it was worn by her grandmother, Mrs. Allen Edens, Sr., at the age of four years.

Allen III will wear blue velvet suit, with gold braid trim, and blouse with wide lace collar. The suit was formerly worn by Fred Cherry, brother of Mrs. Allen Edens, Sr., and the lace collar was worn by Allen Edens, Sr., when a four-year-old boy.

President's Costume Mrs. Robert Davidson, president of the Woman's Auxiliary, will be regaled in a two-piece, five-year-old gold georgette gown elaborately embellished with gold beads, which was once worn by Mrs. Hubert Fuller.

Mrs. Albert Galoway, one of the circle chairmen will be wearing the graduation dress of Mrs. H. A. Juengerman, fashioned of organdy and lace.

Mrs. Elsie Seale will wear a costume of white net and lace with wide blue satin sash that was worn by Mrs. J. B. Fortson, Sr., at her sister's wedding years ago.

Mrs. Hubert Fuller will be attired in a short evening gown, designed of blue sequins and tulle, which was worn by his sister, Mrs. Rupert Cox of Corpus Christi, twenty-five years ago.

Descriptive notes concerning costumes of each members of the receiving line will appear in these columns on Tuesday and Wednesday.

EDUCATIONAL HEAD OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH RESIGNED

Miss Louise Goode, educational and choir director of the First Baptist church, since last March, leaves Monday afternoon for her home in DeQuincy, La. Miss Goode recently resigned her post here.

Rev. Jared I. Cartledge, pastor of the church, leaves Corsicana Monday afternoon for Rusk where he will be engaged in a revival meeting. He brought both messages Sunday.

There were 556 in Sunday school and 110 in B.T.U.

An open house for the newly-installed church library was held Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6:15 o'clock at the church.

The young people will be in charge of the Wednesday evening prayer service.

The pastor predicted dividends the months to come from the inside engagement campaign carried out in the church.

One united with the church Sunday morning as a candidate for baptism, and was baptized at the conclusion of the evening hour.

Stores Comply With OPA Regulations

Approximately 84 per cent of Navarro county stores were in compliance with OPA regulations in the recent food survey conducted by the U. S. Navy.

and rationing board prices, headed by W. C. Stroube, J. L. Collins, and Dave Kelton, Miss Elsie Castles, price clerk, instructed the volunteer price panel assistants who checked the prices in the survey.

Of the 173 food stores in Navarro county, 188 were checked, and 142 were found in 100 per cent compliance. Twenty-six stores were in price violation and six were in rationing violation. In all, ceiling and floor prices were compared on 1270 items. Only 39 of the items had selling prices higher than selling prices.

Miss Castles joined the price panel in thanking merchants, and volunteer price panel assistants for their cooperation and time in making the survey a success. They expressed the hope that the next food survey would find every Navarro county food store in 100 per cent compliance.

Mrs. Alma Germany, Wesley H. Goodwin Married In Ennis



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AID FOR OUR SUFFERING ALLIES! Because we are fortunate... because our homes are not bombed, our men are not killed by Gestapo agents, our children are not hungry... we gladly send our gifts to our less fortunate Allies.

TAKING CARE OF THE HOME FRONT! Corsicana has always cared for its own. Again, we will give to see that homeless babies are sheltered... Corsicana's sick and poor are cared for... our youth are guided into wise citizenship.

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War Chest Paid One Hundred Cents on the Dollar
To Twenty-eight
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Must Increase Their 1943 Pledge at
Least 12 Per Cent!
HOW MUCH SHALL I GIVE?
Turn the Answer Over to Your Heart ---
The Job is Tremendous!

War Chest of Texas	\$22,638.00
Local Agencies	33,864.00
Navarro County War Chest	<u>\$56,502.00</u>

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SENATOR TRUMAN IN CHARGES AGAINST G.O.P. SENATORS

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Senate Republicans were said today by Sen. Harry S. Truman to have adopted a "rule or ruin" policy in an effort to "blackjack the American people" into electing a president satisfactory to the isolationists.

The Democratic vice presidential candidate addressed his prepared speech to a meeting of Democratic leaders at a luncheon here after receiving word that Sen. Joseph H. Ball (R-Minn.) had announced his intention to support President Roosevelt.

Hugh Fulton, a Truman adviser, said the speech was moved to noon "to capitalize" on Ball's decision in the Twin Cities area.

"I am very happy over Senator Ball's conclusion," Truman told a press conference. "He's a good man. I think he always was a Democrat and didn't know it."

Truman originally planned to make his major foreign policy speech at a meeting of the Democratic-Farmer-Labor group, tonight in St. Paul across the river. Instead, he will speak "off the cuff" at the dinner meeting.

Following up President Roosevelt's Saturday night attack on Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's foreign policy views, Truman referred in his speech to John Foster Dulles, Dewey adviser, as "the American first."

Navy Announced Loss of Two Subs In Pacific Area

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—(AP)—The navy announced today the loss of two submarines in the Pacific, the U. S. S. Herring and the U. S. S. Golet which carried crews of 68 men each.

Commanders of both submarines were listed in navy records as heroes of war of attrition against the Japanese, each holding the Silver Star for sinkings.

Overdue and presumed to be lost, the Herring commanded by Lt. Comdr. David Zahrlisch, Jr., of Los Angeles, was commissioned May 4, 1942 at Portsmouth, N. H. The Golet was skippered by Lt. Comdr. James Clark of Palo Alto, Calif., and was commissioned Nov. 30, 1943 at Manitowish, Wis.

The navy now has lost 32 submarines and a total of 194 combat vessels since Pearl Harbor.

Kerens Bobcats Won Vs. Blooming Grove

KERENS, Texas, Oct. 23.—(SPL)—Playing under lights for the first time on the Bobcat Field, the Kerens Bobcats trounced the Blooming Grove Lions to the tune of 56-6. The heavier Bobcats outplayed the Lions, who were unable to get their passing attack working during the entire game. Jones, who leaves for the Marine Corps next week and was playing his last game for the Green and White, was captain for the game and chalked up a grand performance. Blooming Grove's lone tally was made late in the fourth quarter while the Bobcat starting line-up was on the benches. Jones, Beamon, and Allen scored the markers for the Bobcat team.

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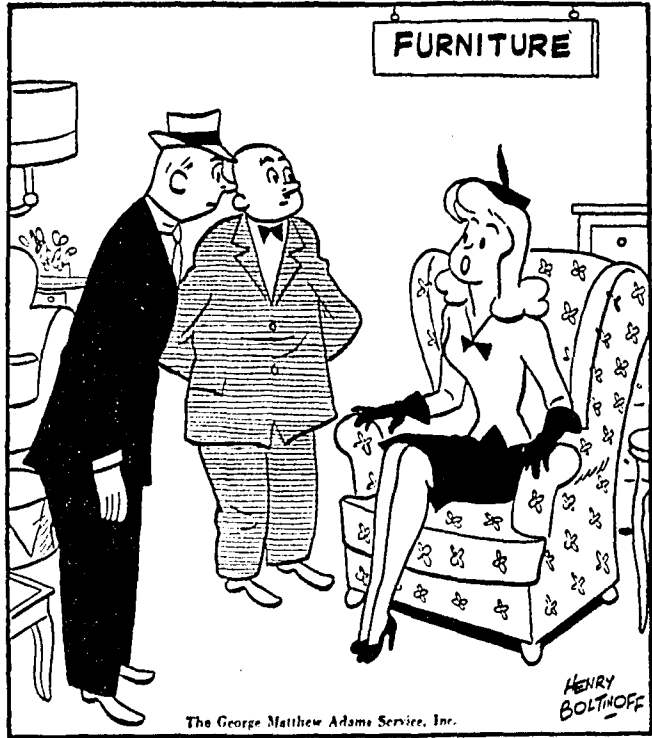
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Today On The Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—(AP)—There is no problem now because there is full employment. But labor circles expect some trouble after Germany falls, when millions lose their jobs and veterans come back for jobs.

And this is why: They say the selective service (SS) act fails to give veterans sufficient job protection; and that the SS directors have placed at least two troublesome interpretations on the act.

They say these interpretations might pit veterans against organized labor, divide the workers and provide anti-union forces with a union-smashing weapon.

Here are two interpretations involved: 1. A returning veteran is entitled to his old job or one similar to it—even if it means discharging a non-veteran with greater seniority.

2. If a returned veteran finds that his employer has entered into employment agreements with others, setting up conditions of employment different from those which existed at the time the veteran left, the veteran can not be deprived of his re-employment rights by reason of these agreements.

As to No. 1: A man who left a job to go into military service builds up seniority just as he would if he had remained on the job. But the right of a returned veteran to "bump" a non-veteran with greater seniority has not been determined by the courts. It may have to be. Or Congress may have to decide.

So far federal courts have only upheld the constitutionality of the SS act and of the right of a veteran to his old job back.

As to interpretation No. 2: This directly affects unions and closed shops. The number of such shops has increased during the war. In many cases a veteran who left a non-union shop to go to war will return to find it a union shop.

Thus the SS interpretation might run head-on into provisions of existing collective bargaining agreements.

Labor says the SS law now gives no job protection to these returning veterans. Men who were "temporary" or probationary workers, those who entered the armed services from school and never had a job; those who were disabled in service and can not fill their old jobs.

So here are some labor proposals to protect those not now provided for: Give seniority credit to all veterans for time spent in service, including those who were temporary or probationary workers and those who never had a job.

Thus a youth who went to war from school and never had a job would, when he returned and got a job, have seniority credit for all the time he spent in service.

Halloween Carnival

Every one invited to the Halloween Carnival Friday night, Oct. 27th at the Barry Gym.

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YOUNG MARINE IN COMBAT FIRST TIME WRECKS JAP TANKS

By SGT. RAY FITZPATRICK
Marine Corps Combat Correspondent.

SOMEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC—A 20 year old Marine "baptism" man in combat for the first time on a strongly fortified beachhead fired his weapon eight times and knocked out four Japanese tanks in a burst of action that took only 10 minutes.

The exploit is related here by admiring comrades of Private First Class Robert Bungard, son of M. W. D. Bungard, Diamond, Ohio. They say they owe their lives to his cool head and amazing marksmanship.

Bungard was moving forward with an infantry outfit on the afternoon of D-Day when a fleet of Jap tanks came rolling over a hill in pairs. He got into position in a shell hole which protected him up to the chest and waited for the Japs to come within range.

The first Jap tanks were within 200 yards when he opened fire with his rocket launcher. His first shot damaged one of the leading pair of tanks; his second blew its turret off.

The other tank of the first pair was only 50 yards away, its turret spinning fire. Bungard, aiming carefully, halted it with one shot.

The rest of the tank fleet, estimated to have numbered 20 in all, soon spread out along the ridge, the young baptism man took aim again. Three hits were enough to disable another tank, and he turned his attention to a fourth. This one he got with two shots. That was enough for the rest of the Jap tanks and they fled back over the hills.

BEAUMONT BAREBACK RIDER WINS FIRST IN MADISON SQUARE

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Clyde Herbert of Beaumont, Tex., won first place in the bareback riding contest last night at the Madison Square Garden Rodeo.

Eddie Curtis of El Reno, Okla., placed second and Walt La Rue of Laramie, Wyo., third.

Andy Curtis of El Reno, Okla., won the steer wrestling contest, with Buck Dowell of Sundown, Tex., second and George Wilterspin of Fort Worth, Tex., third.

Calif. rodeo—Won by Tom Coleman, Waldenburg, Colo., 24 seconds; second Earl Moore, Cuervo, N. M., 27 seconds; third, Billy Breen, Tucuman, N. M., 29 seconds.

Saddle-broke riding—Won by Louis Brooks, Pittsburg, Okla., second, Milt Moe, Duncan, Okla.; third, the between Shirley Hussey, Moses Lake, Wash., and Wag Blessing, Bell, Calif.

Bull riding—Won by Glen Tyler, Modesto, Calif., second, Bill Lee, Fort Worth; third, Manuel Ends, Fort Worth.

Wild cow milking—Won by Choate Webster, Fresno, Calif., 22.2 seconds; second, Hugh Benet, Cuervo, Colo., 31.4; third, Earl Moore, Cuervo, N. M., 34.

Four Members Of Hunting and Fishing Party Are Drowned

ALEXANDRIA, La., Oct. 23.—(AP)—The bodies of four persons drowned in Larto Lake, 25 miles east of Alexandria, late Saturday, when their boat capsized in a squall, were recovered Sunday afternoon. One survivor of the fishing and hunting party, unable to swim, grasped a soldier's bed roll and was washed ashore in 45 minutes.

The dead: Second Lt. Harry L. Earnest, 30, Esler Field; home, Lubbock, Texas. His wife, Mrs. Eleanor Louise Earnest, formerly of Venice, Cal.

W. A. Belgard, 38, Alexandria painter. Perry L. Wiley, 21, Larto Lake guide.

Mrs. A. V. Rachal, of Alexandria, the survivor, was found Saturday night.

Burned Up Currency Then Killed Self

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 23.—(AP)—Charlie Louis Sherry, 72, blacksmith, of Crosby, burned up about \$800 in currency and shot himself to death during the week end according to Justice R. R. Zierlein, who conducted the inquest.

Justice Sherry had been in ill health for some time. He told neighbors that he had \$800 in cash, which he couldn't spend, and that nobody else was going to spend it, either.

Justice Sherry was found sprawled on the bed in his two-room house near Crosby, Sunday, by a neighbor. A .38 caliber pistol was by his side, and a bullet had pierced his heart.

Justice Zierlein said he found ashes in a sheet iron box above, where the elderly man had burned the currency. The remnants of the bills will be turned over to the Treasury Department, the Justice said.

For Sale

T. G. Towns property consisting of home place at Powell of about 33 acres, about 123 acres of the S. F. McCandless Survey, residence and business lots in the town of Powell.

Bids with Taylor & McWilliams, 116-12 West Fifth Ave., Corsicana.

DR. J. R. TOWNS, Administrator.

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THE VOICE GETS A TOMATO PASTING—Sailors heave ripe tomatoes at a large picture of Frank Sinatra on the marquee of the Paramount theater at New York in an encore to a civilian youth's tossing eggs at the crooner during a night performance. (AP Wirephoto)

Texas Fighter Pilot's Memory Honored by French

AMERICAN AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, France, Oct. 23.—(AP)—In the American war cemetery at Remu there stands among the rows of white crosses a highly polished propeller blade from a Lightning fighter plane, and the grave which it marks is covered daily with fresh flowers.

Thus do Frenchmen honor the memory of Lt. Houston L. Braly, Jr., a P-28 pilot from Brady, Texas, who died while blowing up a German ammunition train.

Not even the Germans—when they were here—were able to put the French from paying this tribute. The Nazis removed the propeller the first time they appeared and issued stern warnings, but the next day there were four times as many flowers and the pilot's name was engraved on the propeller taken off his wrecked plane.

Braly was killed Aug. 2, when he and three flying mates swooped down on a German troop train carrying 1,000 men and large quantities of ammunition which had been sidetracked at Remu for eight days. Maquis had sent word of its position.

Braly's plane was the last over the target, and the blast of the exploding ammunition cars ripped off the tail and a wing of his plane. He died in the crash, but at least 50 Germans were killed and the ammunition train was wrecked.

The 22-year-old Texan now belongs to France.

Mrs. Wheelock's Horses Win at Waco

WACO, Oct. 23.—Corsica Miss, owned by Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana, ridden by Herbert McClain, won the five-gaited championship stake at the closing performance Sunday afternoon of the Waco horse show. Mrs. Wheelock winning the last eight classes in which her horses were entered, and championship stakes in the last four.

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ON THEIR ARRIVAL IN CAIRO, SCORCHY AND PINTO SEPARATE... SCORCHY BOARDING A PLANE, FOLLOWING HIS ORDERS BACK TO THE U.S.A... WHILE PINTO RETURNS TO ITALY, WHERE KATHY IS SERVING AS A NURSE'S AIDE

SHUCKS! IT'S GOIN' TO BE POW! LONEOME IN THESE PARTS WITHOUT SCORCHY... SURE HATED TO SEE HIM LEAVE...

...NOW, I'M MAKIN' TRACKS FOR ITALY... SO, I GOT TO TELL KATHY, SHE WON'T BE EEN SCORCHY NO MORE...

WHAT'S SHE GOIN' TO SAY WHEN...? LOOK, BROTHER! JUST TOSSE YOUR HAT OUT... IF IT DON'T COME BACK, WITH A BRICK INSIDE... IT'S O.K. TO GO IN... NOW, LET'S CATCH SOME SHUTEYE, HUH?

OKAY'S BLOW ON THE ELEPHANT'S BREAST-PLATE NOT ONLY BEAT OUR HERO'S LAUNCH, BUT ALSO MADE THE HUGE PACHYDERM AWFUL MAD!

I WISH I COULD! GOSH, NELLIE! DON'T STAND THERE! THAT ELEPHANT'S GONE HAYWIRE!!

ALL! CONTROL YOUR ANIMAL! WHOA, GARGANTUA! WHOA!!

THE CALIPH'S CRAZY, TOO! HE OUGHTA KNOW HE CAN'T WHOA AN ELEPHANT!

VERY WELL! SINCE THEY WON'T PATCH OUR SIDEWALK I'LL VOTE AGAINST EVERY CANDIDATE ON YOUR PARTY TICKET!

THAT MEANS YOU'LL KILL EACH OTHER! VOTE! LET'S DECIDE THIS DEMOCRATIC WAY—WE'LL HOLD A CAUCUS AND DELIVER THE FAMILY VOTE AS A BLOCK! MAJORITY RULES!

WHAT'S DEMOCRACY GOT TO DO WITH IT? SINCE TIME IMMORAL THE FAMILY HAS BEEN A PATRIARCHY, RULED BY THE ELDEST MALE! YOU'RE ADVOCATING ANARCHY, ANARCHY OR SOMETHING!

YOU SOUND LIKE A FASCIST, HOOPEREE!

I'M THE HEAD OF THIS HOUSE! YOU CAN'T TELL ME HOW TO VOTE!

MRS. REILLY, ANDREW AND LUCAS ARE LEARNING WHAT HAPPENED ON THE NIGHT REILLY, A SECRET SERVICE OPERATIVE, DISAPPEARED. THE COP ON THE BEAT HAD JUST TAKEN A SHOT AT THE FLEEING CROOK, BUT—

YOU SEE, GRAN'MA—MR. WELLYBY IS AWFUL STRICT—SO UNCLE JIM THOUGHT MEBBE—

FORE HE WENT THERE TO LIVE—HE COULD TAKE A LIL' VACATION, FIRST, SO WHEN HE FOUND OUR SHACK—

HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE AN IDEAL PLACE TO SPEND IT—HUH? AN' WORRY HIS POOR BROTHER TO DEATH—?

COUNTTA HE LOVES TH' WOODS 'N TH' BIRDS—

NEVER MIND WHAT HE LOVES, WHERE IS JIM WELLYBY NOW??

NINE KNOWN DEAD FOLLOWING HARBOR FIRE LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Nine men are dead, five missing and more than 100 injured following a harbor fire Saturday that wrecked two naval landing ships, 200 feet on dock, a large crane and about 15 welding trucks.

San Pedro police said "witnesses indicated the fire started when a welder on one of the landing craft dropped some hot sparks into the water covered by toluene, apparently spilled from a navy tanker."

Toluene resembles high-test gasoline. Easy, Convenient, Cheap—Just Phone Your Want Ads to 163.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Swiss mountain
5. Discourteous
12. Solidarity
14. One who breaks or trans-
16. Send forth
18. Antique
17. Fine Cuban tobacco
19. Give back
20. Exploding meteor
21. Neat
22. Glam
23. Survival
26. Lengthy

DOWN
2. Type of lens
3. Consequently
4. Beverage
6. Sheriff's assistant
7. You and I
8. Hindu queen
9. Exposed
10. Canals
11. Containers
13. Looks upon approvingly
14. Bodies of churches
15. Algerian city
16. Domestic fowl
17. Roman emperor
18. Salvo
19. Tropical birds
20. Let it stand

51. Final dinner courses
52. Let it stand

1. Genus of the maple tree
2. Halt
3. Original
4. Environment
5. Creamy-white substance
6. Measure of distance
7. Seed container
8. Torsion
9. Style of type
10. Stub out
11. Poem
12. Show to be false
13. Stanka
14. Grows salad
15. Perforation
16. Flowers
17. Name
18. Angry
19. Is indebted
20. Grows white
21. Underground floor
22. Becomes less severe
23. Tropical fruits
24. Coughs
25. Automobile
26. Hair ribbon
27. Feminine name
28. Crows
29. Great lake
30. Gona, Irevy
31. Pronoun
32. Myself

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SCHOLARSHIP CLUB
CORSICANA SENIOR
HIGH IS ANNOUNCED

TWENTY-FIVE PUPILS
CREDITED WITH ALL A'S
FIRST SIX WEEKS

Fifty-one students of the Corsicana Senior High school are included in the Scholarship Club for the first six weeks of the fall term, according to an announcement by H. A. Armistead, principal. There were 25 students making all A's.

Students making all A's—Martha Allen, Ruth Brown (5 A's), Wilma Cressna, Billie Ann Cheney, Betty Nell Crain, Bill Davis, Ned McLafosse, Carolyn Dublin, Joan Dunbar (5 A's), A. H. Ganze, Jr., Ballard George, Jeanne Gross, Bert Guthrie, Helena Juergemann, Joe McAdams (5 A's), Andrew McCollip, Kathryn McLendon, Susie McMichael, Veta Markle, Wanda McSmith, Edith Sanders (5 A's), Louise Smith, Cora Nel Stanley, Frances Ann Wallace and John Wallace.

Students with C's and no grade lower than B—Margaret Andrews, Beverly Bohmfalk, Patrice Brown, T. E. B. Eleanore, Binger, Marian Bragg, Jack Burke, Frances David, Noble Davis, Mary Kathryn Fleming, Elita Mae Gilman (3 A's), E. J. Roy, Hall A's-1 B, Kathryn Hardin, Joan Jester, Janice Levy, Jimmy Locke, Elmer McNeil (3 A's-2 B's), Zoo Ann Middlebrook, Evelyn Reed, Bette Jo Robinson, Anne Smith, Dorothy Smith (4 A's-1 B), Billy Stewart, Don Tekell (4 A's-1 B), Pansy Ware, Barbara Watson (4 A's-1 B), Mildred Giles.

CORSICANA SOLDIER
ON LIST PRISONERS
IN GERMAN CAMPS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—(AP)—The war department made public today the names of 1645 U. S. soldiers held as prisoners of war by the enemy, including the following:

Interned by Germany:

Beets, Pvt. Melvin H.—Mrs. Ruth M. Beets, wife, 732 North Johnson street, San Antonio.

Carter, Sec. Lt. R. S.—Mrs. Hattie M. Carter, mother, 300 Hancock street, Corpus Christi.

Cecil, Sgt. Robert C.—Mrs. C. Carter, mother, 1733 Sycamore street, Allene.

Connolly, Pfc. Wendell—Mrs. Fannie V. Connolly, mother, Route 2, bilene.

Corbin, First Sgt. George W.—Joe W. Darnon, father, 3100 Polk street, Amarillo.

Espersen, Staff Sgt. Herbert E.—Mrs. Pearl E. McConnell, mother, 3021 White Oaks street, El Paso.

Foster, Master Sgt. James T.—Mrs. Glenna L. Foster, wife, 711 West Park, Corsicana.

Fry, Pvt. Robert C.—Mrs. Ora M. Fry, mother, 379 Houston, Paris.

Hahn, Pfc. Edmund O.—John E. Hahn, father, Route 2, Box 494, Austin.

Haire, Staff Sgt. James B.—Mrs. Lucile E. Haire, wife, 2019 N. Thatcher street, Beaumont.

Hamm, Staff Sgt. Cecil W.—Mrs. Mary A. Phillips, mother, Route 1, Box 191-B, Amarillo.

Hanks, Sgt. Jarvey B.—Mrs. Fannie L. McDonald, mother, 1915 S. 7th street, Dallas.

Hart, Capt. Ollie C.—Mrs. A. C. Hart, mother, 504 Bell street, Big Spring.

Hengeler, First Lt. Frank—Mrs. Dolores L. Hengeler, mother, 124 Adams, S. E., Brownsville.

Lau, Sec. Lt. Luther C. Jr.—Luther C. Lau, Sr., father, 2180 Pecos Blvd., Beaumont.

Lauder, Staff Sgt. Billy J.—Mrs. Elna M. Laudner, mother, 1802 Avenue J, Lubbock.

Riley, Staff Sgt. Newton E.—Mrs. Betty J. Riley, wife, 427-A Duval street, Pampa.

Salazar, Staff Sgt. Roberto—Mrs. Rosa M. Salazar, mother, 1407 E. Overland street, El Paso.

Sandoval, Pvt. Mateo—Miss Dolores Sandoval, sister, 100 Missouri street, West, Waco.

Smith, Sgt. Floyd E.—Mrs. Ida E. Smith, mother, 11 Border, Waco.

Interned by Slovakia:

Pate, Sec. Lt. Clyde H.—Mrs. Freddie L. Pate, wife, Lamesa Road, Box 13, Midland.

PRELIMINARY DRIVE
COUNTY WAR CHEST
FUND ON TUESDAY

The Kick-off breakfast for the advance gift drive for the Navarro County War Chest fund will be held at the Navarro Hotel Tuesday morning at 8:15 o'clock.

This year's budget for the thirty agencies, local, national and international, has been set at \$55,569.

Festus A. Pierce is chairman of the advance gifts. R. S. Reading is general chairman of the drive, and H. M. Montgomery is industrial chairman. The slogan for this year's campaign is "Give what you can—because you care." This will be the second year of the local Community chest for all agencies in Corsicana.

Killed in Action
FAIRFIELD, Oct. 21.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Emma Cooper living near Teague has received word from the War Department that her son, Sgt. Tillman G. Cooper was killed in action in France on Sept. 26, 1944. Sgt. Cooper had spent most of his life near Fairfield and Teague before entering the service.

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WANTED! CAN YOU IDENTIFY THESE MEN
DESPITE THEIR GETAWAY FACES?



"Punishment of war criminals" is one of the items on the Allies' war-end agenda. But the Nazi hierarchy may attempt to flee Germany and assume disguises to escape possible trial by the United Nations. The photos above show how four top German leaders might look after treatment by make-up experts. Do you think you could identify them if you saw them on the street? Below are the same Nazi leaders as they look today in their capacity as the rulers of the Reich (AP Newsfeatures)



JOE LEWIS NAMED
PRESIDENT HIGH
SCHOOL SR. CLASS

Joe Lewis was named president of the senior class, Tommie Blake, president of the junior class, and Harold Watson, president of the sophomore class, at recent assembly meetings of the three classes. It was announced today by R. A. Armistead, principal of the Corsicana senior high school.

Elected to other senior class officer posts were Sam Roberts, vice president; Betty Nell Crain, secretary-treasurer; Mary Ann Curington, reporter. Tom Johnston was appointed sponsor.

Other Junior class officers included Billy Staggall, vice president; Bill Reid, secretary-treasurer; A. H. Ganze, Jr., reporter; Mrs. Gertrude Russell, sponsor.

Claire Kelton was selected vice president of the sophomore class. Joseph Cassidy, Corsicana Field personnel assisting in the demonstration, included: Sgt. Robert Schuman, S-Sgt. George Bates, Sgt. Ernest Borasio, Sgt. George Heide, Sgt. Hal Faughn, Cpl. Martin S. Silverfarb and Cpl. Wm. C. Brenner.

Gas Attack Shown
On the field stage was a shack representing a captured farmhouse being used as an air field operations office and an airplane which several GIs were readying for flight. After the signal for enemy air attack, all men threw themselves upon the ground, and at the shout of "Gas" each man, while in prone position, put on his gas mask. One of the slower men did not get his mask on in time. In the demonstration, and consequently was overcome. A yellow smoke grenade signaled the ambulance which arrived to take the casualty to a first aid station.

Mustard Gas Shown
Pliofilm and cellophane capes were used during the simulated mustard gas attack. The supposed victims, one with his eyes burned by the gas, the other with hand burns, showed the audience how to treat such wounds. Water was used to flush all the gas out of the victims' burned eyes and a protective ointment was spread upon the burned hands of the other victim.

Witnesses were told that it takes three to four hours for mustard gas to cause a blister, but that it takes three to eight weeks for it to heal.

Chlorinated lime was used to decontaminate a path from the operations office to the plane. Men decontaminated the office with chloride of lime in the form of a slurry, and the plane with a non-corrosive decontaminating agent known as danc.

Magnesium Bombs
Burning with a temperature of 2,300 degrees Fahrenheit, the two pound M-1 magnesium with a thermite core took nearly six minutes to burn. Attempts to put out the bomb with water were futile because of its affinity for, and its ability of gaining the necessary oxygen for burning from the water.

COLORFUL CHEMICAL WARFARE
DEMONSTRATION PRESENTED AT
AIR FIELD THURSDAY EVENING

By MINNIE MILLS
Daily Sun Staff

Intendi-ric spewed magnesium sparks to the winds, two and four pound bombs exploded and burned brightly, red, green, yellow, and white smoke grenades formed a huge strata of color above the ground during the chemical warfare demonstration given for Corsicana Field officers, enlisted men, their wives and guests on the air-strip Thursday night. A simulated gas attack opened the realistic program.

Commentator on the public address system was Capt. J. Salvatore Tedesco, who described to the audience all parts of the demonstration. He was assisted by Staff Sgt. Carl P. Wachsmann and Cpl. Joseph Cassidy. Corsicana Field personnel assisting in the demonstration included: Sgt. Robert Schuman, S-Sgt. George Bates, Sgt. Ernest Borasio, Sgt. George Heide, Sgt. Hal Faughn, Cpl. Martin S. Silverfarb and Cpl. Wm. C. Brenner.

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HENDERSON COUNTY
MAN DIED IN LOCAL
HOSPITAL SATURDAY

L. C. Poston, 50, Trinidad grocer, died in the P. and S. Hospital Saturday morning at 2:50 o'clock from head injuries sustained near Athens, Henderson county, at an early hour Thursday morning.

Jess Sweeten, Henderson county sheriff, stated the victim either fell from or was knocked from a concrete culvert, three miles west of Athens.

Four other occupants of a car in which Poston was reported by Sweeten to have been riding were taken into custody and one, now residing in Navarro county, was reported formally charged by complaint filed by the officer in justice court at Athens Friday with assault with intent to murder. It was expected here that the charge would be changed to murder following Poston's death.

Funeral arrangements were not known here Saturday morning. The Stockton Funeral Home of Kereks will direct arrangements.

Rev. R. B. Key
Visits In City

Rev. R. B. Key, who has been identified with several Baptist churches in Corsicana and Navarro county over a long period of years at different times, is in Corsicana from his home near Buffalo. He is visiting his daughters here, Mrs. K. R. Cummings and Mrs. Velma Moonenhan, but will return to his home in a few days.

The Rev. Mr. Key has resided in Miami, Fla., and other points since leaving Corsicana the last time, but kept up with events in Navarro county through his subscription to the Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light. He recently visited his son, Robert Key, in Port Arthur. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Key, he says, are parents of a fine boy, born Oct. 5. The Rev. Mr. Key is receiving a warm welcome from his many old friends here.

County Tax Rolls
Carried To Austin

Halley Blake, assessor and collector of taxes for Navarro county, carried the 1944 tax rolls to Austin Friday afternoon for approval by the state comptroller's office. The office forces has been working overtime the past several weeks completing the rolls.

It is expected the payment of current ad valorem taxes can be begun sometime next week.

Miss Estelle McClung left today for New Orleans, where she will be married over the week-end to Capt. Henry Beckman of New Orleans. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. E. McClung, and her brother, Gerald McClung, and wife.

TEXAS STATE GUARD
CONDUCTED BANQUET
THURSDAY EVENING

Company A of the Texas State Guard held its annual banquet in the Navarro hotel dining room Thursday evening. Lieut. Col. Joe W. Daniels and Major Byford L. Cook gave short addresses after the dinner had been served.

Capt. William E. Stewart acted as toastmaster, introducing each officer and enlisted man. A program of songs and readings was headed by Sgt. Harold Blankenship, Lieut. A. A. Copeland gave the invocation.

Banquet guests included Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Joe W. Daniels, Major and Mrs. Byford L. Cook, Capt. and Mrs. William L. Stewart, Lieut. and Mrs. Eugene Stewart, Lieut. and Mrs. A. A. Copeland, Lieut. and Mrs. Thomas C. Curtis.

Sgt. and Mrs. Joe W. Allen, Sgt. Hugh Carroll, Sgt. Moise Levy, Sgt. John Norwood, Sgt. Robert Speegle, Sgt. and Mrs. A. W. Norris, Sgt. and Mrs. W. T. Harris, Sgt. and Mrs. Earl M. Auld, Sgt. and Mrs. Don L. Blackwell, Sgt. and Mrs. Elvis G. Hall.

Sgt. George Owen, Sgt. and Mrs. Harry M. Pollock, Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Blankenship, Sgt. J. W. Phinney, Sgt. and Mrs. W. F. Adams, Cpl. S. O. Burkes, Cpl. O. P. Renfro, Cpl. and Mrs. Earnest Jones, Cpl. Walter G. Johnston, and daughter, Helen Johnston, Cpl. David Denbow and father, David E. Denbow.

Pvt. and Mrs. Lloyd Simpson, Pvt. Ailyn Anglin and Miss Helen Tidwell, Pvs. Earl Lewis, Donnell O. Love, and father, D. O. Love, Sr., Pvt. Edwin Talhoun, Pvt. and Mrs. D. W. Taylor, Pvt. and Mrs. Lewis Taylor, Pvt. R. L. Griffin, Pvt. F. E. Allred, and mother, Pvt. and Mrs. Willie P. Allred, Pvt. B. J. Owen and mother.

Pvt. and Mrs. O. A. Vaughn, Pvt. and Mrs. H. W. Weaver, Pvt. and Mrs. W. Kelton, Pvt. Jean Hayes and Miss Laura Jo Prater, Pvt. James Andrews, Pvt. Jody Chaplain, Pvt. Claude Ridge, Pvt. Charles Williams, Pvt. L. E. Sparkman, Pvt. Edward Ridge, Pvt. Henry Mitchell, and Miss Mosley, Pvt. Claude Taylor.



FORMER ASSISTANT
ATTORNEY GENERAL
OPENS OFFICE HERE

E. R. Simmons, former assistant attorney general of Texas, will open a law office in Corsicana about Nov. 1, he announced while here this week-end. He has rented the office of J. C. Jacobs now in the U. S. Army in the Pacific area, in the Beauford H. Jester law suite in the Jester Building on West Fifth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons are leaving early next week for the Pacific Coast to visit their only son, Lieut. Roy Simmons, U. S. Marine Corps Reserve, who is expected to leave for an overseas assignment within the immediate future, and plan to return by November 1.

Simmons was born and reared at Wortham, the son of Mrs. Roy Simmons and the late Roy Simmons of Wortham, and was educated in Austin College, Sherman, and Southern Methodist University, Dallas, where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

The attorney was engaged in the practice of law at Teague before he became assistant attorney general under Gerald C. Mann, January 1, 1939, as head of the oil and gas division, continued in the same capacity under Grover Sellers after the resignation of Mann. He is a member of the Karem Temple Shrine and Presbyterian church, and formerly was a member of the Lions Club.

In addition to the son, Lieut. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Simmons have a daughter, Miss Sally Simmons, sophomore in the University of Texas.

Roof and Pasture
Fires On Friday

Two alarms were answered Friday afternoon by the fire department.

A roof fire of undetermined origin at 2 p. m. Friday damaged a servant house belonging to A. D. McMullan, 106 West First avenue, approximately \$100.

Approximately 40 acres of the Fred M. Allison ranch pasture on the south side of the Emhouse slab were burned off at 6:30 p. m. Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Albritton, little daughter Mary, and Miss Dorothy Barnes of Port Arthur, Texas, were recent visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Barnes of Barry.

S-Sgt. John R. Robinson, who is stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga., is spending a 21-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. John Robinson.

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WRESTLING
THURSDAY, OCT. 26th, 8:30 P. M.
• DOUBLE MAIN EVENT •
Lou (Bad Boy) PLUMMER —VS— Joe MUHL
245 Lbs.—Ex-Coastguardsman San Francisco 235 Pounds
Gino (Red) VAGNONE —VS— Bob WAGNER
210 Lbs.—A Corsicana Favorite—New York 210 Lbs.—A New Comer Houston
2 OUT OF 3 FALLS — 60 MINUTE TIME LIMIT.
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